

# EIC 3600 COMMERCIAL DATABASE SEARCH REQUEST

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If more than one search is submitted, please prioritize searches in order of need.

Provide the PALM Bib page or the following:

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Title of Invention: \_\_\_\_\_ Bib Data Sheet Attached \_\_\_\_\_

Inventors (provide full names) : \_\_\_\_\_

Earliest Priority Filing Date: 4/23/99; preferably before 4/24/98

## Requested attachments:

- If possible, provide the cover sheet, the IDS, examples, or relevant citations, authors, etc, if known.
- Please attach copies of the parts of this case that help explain or are most pertinent to this search. Examples are:  
*abstract, background, summary, claim(s) [not all of the claims].*

Abstract, Technical Field, Summary of the Invention, and claim 51 is included.

## The claimed or apparent novelty of the invention is:

Group level processing of accounts.

Associating a first financial record with a first product. Associating a 2<sup>nd</sup> financial record with a 2<sup>nd</sup> product.

Creating a group master record that that associates the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> financial records together.

Creating 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> financial records associated with products. Creating a group master record that that associates the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> financial records together. Having a first set of parameters defining a relationship between the first financial record and the first master record. Having a second set of parameters defining a relationship between the third financial record and the second master record. The first set of parameters is distinct from the second set of parameters.

## This search should focus on:

(Also include keywords or synonyms)

Successive grouping of accounts in batches or layers. Grouping the accounts and then processing that batch or layer and then grouping those again for further processing.

If you have any questions or need help with keywords, please feel free to contact me.

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